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The applicants elect group B., a transformed cell, without traverse.

Accordingly, the applicants have elected to begin prosecution with examination of claims 6, 9, 10, 14 and 15.

Upon allowance of the generic claims, applicants request consideration of claims to additional species which are written in dependent form or which otherwise include all the limitations of the allowed generic claims.

Respectfully submitted,



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